

DAILY NEWS.

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FAYETTEVILLE STREET,
over W. C. Stomach & Co's Store.
CASH—INVARIABLELY IN ADVANCE.

The DAILY NEWS will be delivered to subscribers at FIFTEEN CENTS per week, payable to the carrier weekly. Mailed at 2nd premium; \$3.00 for six months; \$2 for three months. The WEEKLY NEWS at \$2 per annum.

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GRAND GIFT CONCERT

and presentation to the holders of tickets of

25 BEAUTIFULLY LOCATED

COTTAGE LOTS

at the new and elegant sea-side resort.

VUE DE L'EAU.

On Hampton Roads, opposite Fortress Monroe, Virginia.

TOGETHER WITH

\$30,000 IN GREENBACKS!

TICKETS ONLY \$5 EACH.

The new, attractive and beautifully-located Southern Seaside watering place, named

VUE DE L'EAU.

On Hampton Roads, nearly opposite Fortress Monroe, Virginia, in full view of that fortress, Fort Calhoun, Chesapeake Bay, and James River, with a water view unsurpassed in America, where every luxury of land and sea is to be had, and where the public for the first time in the past six years. So say those who have a right to know.

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by means of which they hope to be able to execute the grand and noble undertaking of making

VUE DE L'EAU the

Grand Seaside Resort of the South

As indorsements to the public every where to purchase tickets, they propose to present as

CHRISTMAS GIFTS

To the purchasers of tickets, by distribution by lot, the following magnificent gifts:

1 Gift in Greenbacks, of	\$ 5,000
5 Gifts in Greenbacks, of \$1,000 each,	5,000
20 Gifts, in Greenbacks, of \$100 each,	2,000
75 Handsomely located Cottage Lots,	10,000
" by the sea," 30 by 100 feet, at	
Vue de L'Eau, valued at \$100,	30,000
200 other beautifully located Cottage Lots,	10,000
" 30 feet, at the sea, at	
Vue de L'Eau, valued at \$20 each,	40,000
100 Gifts, in Greenbacks, of \$100 each,	10,000
401 Gifts, valued at	\$10,000

20,000 TICKETS AT \$5 EACH.

The Grand Concert will take place in the

NORFOLK OPERA HOUSE,

On Monday Evening, Dec. 23, 1872,

And will in itself be a full consideration for the price charged for Admission Tickets,

The distribution of gifts will take place immediately after the Concert, on the vast stage of the Opera House, in the immediate supervision of the President and Directors of the VUE DE L'EAU COMPANY, and the following distinguished gentlemen, who will be present to present and see that the gifts are properly distributed as advertised:

Hon. John R. Ludlow, Mayor of Norfolk, Hon. W. W. Miller, Mayor of Portsmouth, Col. Walter H. Taylor, of Norfolk, Hon. John B. Whitehead, Ex-Mayor of Norfolk.

James G. Holliday, Esq., of Portsmouth. The Board of Directors is composed of the following gentlemen, whose well known character for integrity, honor, and public enterprise are well known to all, and impartial distribution of the gifts:

Major W. G. Grice, President Bank of Portsmouth, Hon. W. W. Miller, First National Bank, Norfolk.

Gen. V. D. Gruber, General Agent Boston Steamship Company, Hon. W. H. Burruss, Son & Co., Washington, Esq., of Portsmouth & Read Merchants.

E. G. Ghol, Esq., Superintendent Seaboard and South Atlantic.

Robert J. Neely, Esq., of R. J. & W. Neely & Co.

Marshall Parks, Esq., President Albemarle & Chesapeake Canal Company.

C. E. Lindsey, Esq., State Real Estate Broker.

William E. White, Esq., Attorney at Law.

Norfolk. Distribution will be by blindfolded persons or children, from two wheels, one of which will contain gifts on printed slips sealed in envelopes, with numbers on them corresponding with all the tickets sold; after the contents of both wheels are thoroughly mixed by ground, the wheel will then be spun, and the person thereat, and then the person at the second wheel will take a gift therefrom, and the gift thus taken will be publicly announced before it, this being done to prevent the numbers and gifts being publicly announced—thus the whole hundred and one gifts are distributed. Thus the public will easily see there can be no fraud, collusion, or knowledge of what gift any number will get.

Should the tickets be not all sold when the concert comes off, the presents will be distributed in proportion to the number of persons present.

It is hoped the public will promptly respond to this effort to establish upon a firm basis a delightful resort during the heated months.

TICKETS ONLY \$5 EACH.

Currency gifts will be paid in cash at our banking house in the city of Norfolk, on presentation of tickets entitled thereto, without discount.

For further particulars and for under-

taken the executive financial management of the company, and who alone are authorized to appoint agents for the sale of tickets.

BURSSON, SON & CO.,

Bankers and Financial Agents

Vue de L'Eau Company.

NORFOLK, V. A.

Tickets for sale at

CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK,

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THE DAILY NEWS.

RALEIGH, N. C., THURSDAY MORNING, NOV. 14, 1872.

The Raleigh Daily News.

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1st Special Notices inserted in the Local Column will be charged Fifteen Cents per line.

All parties ordering the News will please send the money for the time the paper is wanted.

LOCAL MATTER.

E. C. WOODSON, City Editor

LOCAL BRIEFS.

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JOHN THE BAPTIST.—The Biblical Register, of this city, thus comments on an extract from a Masonic speech recently published in the Masonic Monitor:

"But I return to the day we celebrate. It is the 24th of June, St. John's day. St. John were one of our order, and a good showman in the Judge's country; and were also a hardshell Baptist who preached in the woods as we do to day. He was persecuted for our sakes and driven into the wilderness, where he had nothing to eat but locusts (which is a cimbel for grasshoppers) and wild honey."

The Masonic Monitor publishes the foregoing as a part of a speech delivered by M. W. G. M. Artemus Ward. We feel constrained to add a few remarks:

1. Many well known facts and unanswerable arguments satisfy us that John the Baptist was not a Mason.

2. He was not a "Hardshell Baptist." He exhorted men to repent, and conducted a great revival. "Hardshell Baptists" do not preach repentance, nor conduct revivals.

3. John the Baptist was imprisoned and killed for preaching unpopular truth and for rebuking sin, and not for "our sakes."

We hope as the political campaign is now over, the masonic editor will have more time to prepare his candidate for masonic patronage.

"GAB."—We hear people frequently speak of the "gift of the gab," as they are pleased to denominate the habit indulged in by some men who have more brass than brains, and seem to think no assemblage can be properly enlightened without hearing from them. We regard this thing in a different light. So far from considering it a "gift" we believe it is to be a curse. If not a curse to that possessor, it is certainly a curse to that portion of mankind who are brought into contact with him. He is a regular standing bore on all occasions, and if he gets into a deliberative assembly, as such creatures generally do, he becomes an absolute nuisance.

DEATH OF CAPT. GEO. B. BAKER.—We regret to announce the death of Capt. Geo. B. Baker, which occurred at the residence of his mother-in-law, Mrs. H. W. Miller, in this city, at 6 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Capt. Baker was connected with the "Sailor" office until his health compelled him to retire from business. He was a native of Fayetteville, but has been residing in Raleigh four or five years.

He was, we presume about thirty five years of age.

His death is not altogether unexpected as he has been suffering from that insidious disease Consumption for some time.

Capt. Baker was a gentleman of excellent moral character and was highly esteemed and respected in this community.

We tender our sincere condolence to his distressed family in their deep affliction.

THE DOG LAW.—The law which our coming Legislature proposes to pass in reference to worthless curs will prove of lasting benefit to all classes, especially to the poor men of the State. If we understand it correctly it is substantially this: That each and every dog shall after the 1st of next May, be taxed \$3 and be required to wear a collar to show that the tax had been paid. This is a special tax, and is to be applied to the education of the poor children of the State. When we take into consideration the thousands of worthless dogs and the great ignorance prevailing among the rising generation, the general cry will be, up with education and down with the dogs!

It is a notorious fact that the number of dogs in North Carolina is constantly multiplying, while education is being much neglected, and the children of the State are growing up in ignorance and idleness.

DEATH OF CAPT. J. Q. DECARTERET.—Capt. John Q. DeCarteret, well and favorably known to the citizens of Raleigh and Wake county, died yesterday at the residence of his mother in this city at 4:00 o'clock A. M. Some four months since Capt. DeCarteret was smitten with Paralysis, from the effects of which he never recovered, and his death was anticipated by his friends.

He was one of the leaders of the party of Constitutional reform in Wake, having been nominated by the party for the Legislature in 1870. He was also a member of the Democratic State Executive Committee.

His funeral will take place to-morrow from the Baptist Church at 3 o'clock P. M. The Fire Brigade of the city, of which he was a member, will turn out in a body to the funeral.

OFFICE OF THE PHENIX INSURANCE COMPANY OF BROOKLYN.

NEW YORK, Nov. 11th, 1872.

J. M. Tate, Ag't, Raleigh, N. C.

DEAR SIR:—We have pleasure in informing you that our losses by fire in Boston cannot possibly exceed \$450,000.

Our Assets on ist of November, 1872, \$2,000,000.

Total amount insured in burnt districts 450,000.00

Thus leaving us, even in case of our losses total, \$1,550,000.00

STEPHEN CROWELL, President.

MEETING OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.—There will be a meeting of the Executive Committee of the North Carolina Agricultural Society to-day, Thursday, at 11 o'clock, at the Yarborough House. A full attendance is desired, as matters of great importance will come up for action.

NO MULES SICK.—The rumor that the mules in Wynne, Yancey & Co's, Live-
stock Farm, will be attacked by Epizootic proves to be incorrect.

Mr. Nolen has a fine lot of his Ken-
tucky mules there, which are entirely

sound and have not exhibited the

slightest symptom of the disease.

ANOTHER MURDER.

A COLORED BOY KILLS HIS STEP-FATHER.

CORONER'S JURY SUMMONED.

VERDICT.

THE MURDERER COMMITTED TO JAIL.

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Coroner Maginn was notified, who summoned the following jury: J. H. Rogers, Moses Patterson, W. H. Matthews, Henry Farrar, Richard Sheppard, John Strickland, Wm Copeland, John Flagg, Frank Ricks, John James, Moses Blackwell, Richard Strickland, and re-

mitted.

Resolved, That we as a company and as individuals extend our sympathies to the family of our late associate in their bereavement.

Resolved, As a further mark of respect that this Company will attend his funeral.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family of the dec'd, and entered on the Company records.

T. L. LOVE, C. W. DRIVER

The Raleigh Daily News.

THURSDAY NOVEMBER 14, 1872.

JORDAN STONE, Managing Editor.

SAM'L T. WILLIAMS, Political Editor.

We surrender much of our editorial space to-day to the interesting account of the incidents connected with the great fire in Boston.

BE AT YOUR POSTS!

We respectfully urge upon the Democratic members elect to the Legislature the importance of being at their posts on Monday, the 18th, the first day of the session.

The work of organizing the two houses of the Legislature is of very great importance. The Radicals will be hand to a man, and will take every advantage of the absence of our members. We have a good working majority, but it is not sufficiently large for any Democrats to be absent at all the first day of the session.

THE SMITH POISONING CASE.

The particulars of the death of Rev. J. Brinton Smith, D. D., have been given minutely through our local columns, and we do not propose to recapitulate them to-day. We will merely give a general statement of the facts in order to make a few comments thereon, as a subject of so grave importance cannot well be passed over in silence.

Dr. Smith died on the first day of October last. On the morning of that day, he drank a dose of Seidlitz powders which was administered to him, at his request, by his daughter, Mrs. Frances L. Mann. A few moments after taking the powders, the Doctor was taken suddenly ill and was attacked with convulsions. In less than half an hour he was a corpse.

The manner of his death having excited serious suspicions that he was poisoned, a *post mortem* examination was made by several eminent physicians of this city. The result of that examination was not made public, but it was decided to send the stomach of the deceased to the celebrated Dr. Genth, of Philadelphia, for chemical analysis, and to get his opinion for the guidance of the Jury of Inquest. The Coroner who took the stomach to Dr. Genth, carried also the tumbler in which the powders were mixed, the empty paper powder wrappers which had contained the dose, the tin box containing the other Seidlitz powders from which the dose was taken, the spoon used in administering the medicine and a glass jar of sugar out of which the powder had been sweetened.

Dr. Genth first examined by careful tests the sugar contained in the glass jar, and next the tin box of Seidlitz powders. His analysis proved that neither of these contained any strichnine or any metallic poison.

He then directed his attention to the empty powder wrappers, including the white and blue papers which had contained the acid powder and the soda. He found a little white powder adhering to the blue paper which, after being subjected to several chemical tests, developed the most characteristics of strichnine, which no other known substance gives. He therefore pronounces the white powder adhering to the blue paper to be strichnine.

He was President of St. Augustine College (colored) and an able and distinguished Episcopal minister. He was a gentleman of rare intellectual endowments and of the finest conversational gifts and had many friends and admirers in this City.

His wife and daughter, who are now charged with his murder, shared in the confidence and esteem which were felt for the deceased, and no breath of suspicion had ever been breathed against them. Their present situation has excited a deep feeling of pity and sympathy, and notwithstanding the circumstances of suspicion by which under Providence they have been surrounded, they have many friends who have the utmost confidence in their entire innocence and believe they will be triumphantly vindicated when all the evidence is brought out.

It is a maxim of our law that every man is presumed to be innocent until he is shown to be guilty, and when two helpless women, who have stood high in the community, whose characters are irreproachable, are charged with the heinous crime of poisoning their own father and husband, whatever may be the *prima facie* case against them, the voice of humanity bids us to beware of hasty conclusions of their guilt, but to await developments with the confident hope that the clouds of distrust and suspicion may disappear before the light of truth and justice.

THE VOTE OF THE STATE.

The vote of North Carolina last Tuesday is not very encouraging to the Radicals.

The official returns come in slowly. While they indicate that the State has gone largely for Grant, they do not show that the Radicals have made any gains on Caldwell's vote. In some of the largest Democratic counties our friends remained at home. The Radical vote is not increased, but the Democratic vote is not polled.

Our strength was not brought out.—In the counties of Sampson and Cleaveland, while the Radical vote is about the same that it was in August, Greeley falls largely behind Merrimon, showing that our friends did not go to the election.

Our people could not bury their prejudices. They were not willing to vote for a life long abolitionist and Republican, when they thought there was no chance to defeat the Radical party.

They would not vote for Greeley under the circumstances, for after the results in Pennsylvania and Ohio in October, they gave up all hope of Greeley's election.

We have no words of abuse for any opponent of Radicalism, however much we may differ as to the course of duty and policy. In the future, it behoves all who do not approve of the crimes of the Radical party, to fight under one banner and in a common cause.

SCENES AT THE BOSTON FIRE.

EXCITING SCENES AMONG THE MERCHANTS.

REMOVING GOODS.

The Flames Bursting from the Granite Structures.

THE FRENZIED SHOP GIRLS.

THE SKIES LIT UP WITH LURID FLAMES.

People Knocked Down and Killed by the Blazing Missiles.

A PANDEMONIUM ON EARTH.

Terrific, Grand Spectacles.

CRAZED WOMEN WITH BABES IN THEIR ARMS.

MANY KILLED WITH FEAR.

SAVING HEIRLOOMS.

SCENES LUDICROUS AND OTHERWISE.

LAST SABBATH IN BOSTON.

THE DAY OF DOOM.

We have gleamed from our exchanges the following interesting account of the great Boston fire. Our late Northern temporaries scarcely speak of anything else, and the whole editorial columns of the last New York *Herald* were exclusively devoted to articles connected with this terrible conflagration:

When the fire broke out most of the people were within doors preparing for the coming Sabbath, which is generally observed in Boston with some strictness, and those who were in the streets were commonly about the same business—making purchases, and so on; but when it was seen that a large fire was in progress other things were neglected, and a crowd collected in Summer and Kingston streets. The building at which all looked was the big dry goods house of Tibbets, Baldwin & Davis, on the corner, which was so dry that when the flames burst from the roof, brands, burning splinters, and sparks fell in showers in all directions, on the roofs of the neighboring buildings, and in the streets below. There was little time to think of saving the goods there deposited, they being in

their nature inflammable and the building being a mass of fire. Houses in the immediate neighborhood were then seen to be rapidly taking fire at their roofs, the Mansards affording hardly any protection at all. It was found that Winthrop square must go, as the wind was blowing more freshly than at first, people began to think that in reality an amount of damage must be done, as this was in the vicinity of—a part of, rather—the great business quarter of the city. The fire engines were not prompt at hand, owing to the general dearth of horses, and it was long before anything like a deluge of water could be sent upon the burning buildings. Merchants whose warehouses were scattered all about came running and driving furiously from up town, and some trying to force their horses through the now enormous crowds, had to be beaten back by the police. Leaving their beasts at any place that came to hand, they jammed and elbowed their way, shouting themselves hoarse in their madness to get at the houses in which their goods and papers were laid away.

Fabulous prices were offered to those who were able and willing to lend a hand in the work, and between those trying to force their way to the fire and those endeavoring to fight their way out of it, a scene of confusion which baffles description ensued. The streets are miserably narrow and unworthy of the magnificent granite buildings which line them, and when the fire had turned Washington street, where are many fine shops and stores, their windows ablaze with silks and jewelry, a perfect panic seized the crowd that surged northward and swept by the goods that looked so temptingly easy to be obtained; but as yet there was no palliate of any sort. The shop girls here were in a perfect frenzy, and in getting away had to take their chances in the crowd, to be knocked about and as likely as not to be trodden down. The wind had now increased in violence till it had become a most furious gale, blowing smoke and firebrands into the faces of the crowd, and beating back the firemen, who stood as firmly as possible to their work. The skies were wild with the reflection of the lurid flames which hissed along the streets and ran from house to house licking and lapping them, and writhing about them like fiery serpents. A little girl, whose name is unknown, was in one of the upper rooms of a house in Washington street, looking out of a window at the fire. She was seen from the street to be struck full in the face by a piece of burning wood and knocked back into the room, from which a moment or two afterwards flames began to burst, and in an incredibly short time the whole upper part of the house was crackling and blazing. A woman with the child in her arms, and her clothes nearly burned from her back, came rushing into the street from the building, shrieking and calling wildly for her husband, and presently she disappeared, running in the direction whence the fire was coming instead of from it, probably having been crazed by her torture and the suffering of her child. People were knocked down, some were killed, by blazing missiles almost before it was known that there was any fire where they were, for the wind carried the flames in almost every direction with frightful speed.

Confusion was worse confounded and despair rendered more despairing, as is always the case at such times. The most useless of articles were born about as though of immense value; silks and satins were thrown into the street and trodden into utter worthlessness, or picked up and lugged away by the passers by. There was no limit to the goods lost in this way, nor could the police, vigilants as it was, prevent the robbery, for owners could not be told from thieves. Carts and trucks, dragged by men and horses, passed and jammed their way along, breaking boxes and upsetting in their passage, and making with the glare of the light, no bad picture of what pandemonium must be. On their heads the blazing buildings dropped great gouts and flakes of fire, as though from the fingers of a bloody hand dipped in brimstone. The fire, owing partly to the state of the wind, did not proceed with very great rapidity down Kingston street—it was slow, but it was sure. What is more terribly grand than the onward march of a mighty fire in a great city—it's arms outstretched to grasp and wither granite and iron which seem almost to be as easy a prey as dry wood? The flames in Kingston street, as they crept out of windows and stole solidly on to buildings about them, seemed a vast network of molten iron. The stones cracked and fell hissing upon them, and the iron bent and doubled upon itself in long loops. The houses while being gutted were great cauldrons from which the fire darted and bubbled up, roaring above the noise of the engines working below, and filling the heavens with its crimson light. As the fire spread through the adjacent streets threatening to consume all the lower part of the city, the entire population became aroused, and far up town, though it was now late at night, there was no thought of going to bed.

Women left alone in the magnificent houses in Beacon street became so nervous and fidgety that they could scarcely endure to stay in the house, and a somewhat ludicrous story is told of a Mrs. M., who actually had her penes, her beds, pictures, and heirlooms, which had come down to her from the time when her great grandfather burned witches in Salem, all packed up together and placed on the floor in the ball, condemning her less frightened and naturally less interested servants from sleeping all night, except on floors and lounges. Another lady, whose husband owned a large dry goods "emporium" in Kingston street, and had left her in bed at ten o'clock at night, could not endure the excitement alone and so ordered up her coachman and kept him driving her about the lower town till four o'clock in the morning, protracting her head from the coach window and wildly calling to every man who bore the slightest resemblance to her lost lord, and the dismissing him with, "Oh, isn't he you, is it?" Others, whom baked beans are an absolute necessity on Sunday morning, are said to have been seen with jars full of them standing disconsolately at their doors, watching the fire at a great distance, and fully determined to carry their breakfast away with them and, if necessary, to have their regular meal on the Commons in the morning. In the narrow and mysteriously tortuous streets of the low town—made years ago by the devious paths of cows seeking and returning from pasture—there

was unbelievable excitement; in such poor people ran about like lunatics, when they thought the fire was on their track; half naked, and yet with their household goods and utensils under their arms, they ran about shrieking and bemoaning their hard fate. Women with babies in their arms, stopped for an instant to hear and tell the news and discuss the probabilities and then rushed away crying and crazed with fear and excitement. Lost children, forgotten or abandoned amid the tumult and rage, sat on the curbstones weeping, and lied in terror in every direction, vainly seeking their lost parents. Women in childbirth were delivered prematurely; the sick lay along in their chambers unable to rise and not knowing but the fire might at any moment reach them; in their weakness not less than ten or twelve of such unfortunate persons are said to have been killed by fire, which even their trusted relatives could not avert. In one of the tenement houses devoted by the names of a woman, her new-born infant, and her husband were burned to death, the man nobly refusing to leave his family and being unable to remove them to a place of safety. The alarm bell sounding and the shock of explosions which shook the city to its very centre, as a house after house was blown up to prevent the further spread of the conflagration, added unspeakable horror to the scene. It was a wild night of fear and anguish to many a poor soul, but it was not devoid of ludicrous interest. Old women with family plate to save ran about with it in their hands, and could not be persuaded by their grandsons and sons to act in a rational manner. Family pride and love of heirlooms probably exists to a greater extent in Boston than in any old American city, and to many an old woman, and many a young one, too, for that matter, it would be almost as hard to lose an old tea set or cabinet as to lose a fortune.

Like veritable descendants of the Puritans, they would not fly until the last moment. But when the last moment came, their only thought was to rescue the precious relics which had been religiously handed down for generations. One of them rushed into the street tugging away manfully at a huge carved oak table, which, by dint of almost Herculean efforts—for her—she had succeeded in getting as far as the sidewalk. Here, with the accustomed total depravity of inanimate things, it defied her, and despite all her exertions she could move it but a few inches at a time. Behind her the flames roared and crackled fiercely, but to all recommendations to leave she replied that the table had "come over the Mayflower," and that she would sooner lose life itself than the memorable piece of furniture. Another, of a stouter build, shouldered a large clock and trudged off with it manfully, the disarranged machinery beating a perpetual alarm as though protesting wildly against such sacrilegious handling.

Early in the morning of that sleepless night of men and the elements nearly the whole of the lower business part of the city was in ashes or in flames. Walls fell with a sullen roar, sending up show of sparks and cinders, and the lurid smoke rolled above the town. The rising sun was scarcely noticed in the unearthly lights as the Day of Doom.

Between four and five o'clock the gas gave out down town. Houses and whole blocks of buildings were being blown up, and this noise added the effect of bombardment to that of the devastating fire. The streets were surging with people running and riding, and getting at trucks and carts to carry away things. In Broad street, where for some reason other numbers of people had congregated, goods were thrown and fell into the harbor, the sight from which was most gloomily magnificent. It was Sunday morning, but no one except a few devotees thought of attending church, and as the day went on services were generally abandoned.

On TUESDAY, 26th day of NOVEMBER, on the premises of the county of Warren, in the State of North Carolina, in the county of Warren, on Shocco Creek, near the White Sulphur Springs, and adjoining the property of J. M. Beck, and others. The land lies on both sides of the Turnpike Road, and extends from the Sulphur Springs to Ridgeview, and nine miles from the town of Marion, fourth (4th) from the true line of original growth of oak, hickory, &c., and one-fifth in second growth. The soil-surface is undulating, soil very well suited for all kinds of grain, and there are scattered patches of rich bottom land on the true line. This is one of the best sections in the State, and the soil is one of the best in the section. Terms—one-fourth (1/4) cash, balance in one or two years.

A. S. PERRY.

LOUISBURG, Oct. 23d, 1872.

no 7-5f Attorney.

FINE KENTUCKY MULES FOR SALE.

The undersigned has arrived again in Raleigh with a lot of fine, large KENTUCKY MULES.

He takes this opportunity to return his thanks to the citizens of Wake and adjacent counties for the liberal patronage he has received, and has now given to them the satisfaction given by the parties sold heretofore, and expects to sell his stock on reasonable terms. The mules can be seen at Messrs. Wynne, Yancey & Co., 101-103 S. Broad Street, and at the office of Alfred Cohen.

ALFRED COHEN.

no 5-5m.

S. W. TERRELL.

SALISBURY, N. C.,

(Formerly of Wake County.)

FAMILY GROCER AND PRODUCE DEALER.

Keeps constantly in hand Chickens, Eggs, Beef, Cabbages, Apples, &c.

Particular attention given to buying and shipping Hay, Cotton, Grain and Four.

Orders solicited and acted at short notice.

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W. H. JONES, L. C. & CO., COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

Raleigh; A. G. L. & Co., Raleigh; T. J. Foster, Esq., Salisbury; Crawford & Helling, Salisbury; Maroney & Bro., Salisbury; Gen. W. D. Jones, Assessor 4th District.

no 5-5m.

SALE OF LAND.

The undersigned, pursuant to power given by the will of Osburn Hunter and Hunter, Hunter, Esq., of Raleigh, has sold the Court House door in the city of Raleigh on Saturday, December 14th, 1872,

at a certain lot in the city of Raleigh, bounded on the South by Cabarrus street, and adjoining the lot of Wm. Vaughn, containing 1/2 acre.

TERMS: One-half cash—the balance on a credit of twelve months, the deferred payment to be secured by bond, with good

title.

7 o'clock, p. m.

Price to be reckoned for one fare will be issued over the several railroads in this State to officers and representatives in the grand Lodge, on application therefor at the several points where they take the cars.

This is a general rule made with the railroad authorities, and the return tickets as indicated should be procured to prevent payment of full fare.

D. W. BAIN,

Grand Lodge Secretary.

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oel 5-5m.

G RAND LODGE OF NORTH CAROLINA,

OFFICE OF GRAND SECRETARY.

Raleigh, Nov. 11th, A. L., 1872.

The Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina will commence its 8th Annual Convocation in this city, on Monday, 2d of December next, at 7 o'clock, p. m.

The Raleigh Daily News.

THURSDAY.....NOVEMBER 14, 1872.

STATE MATTERS.

The horse diseased not yet in Wilmington.

The banking house to be erected in Tarboro will be a beautiful building.

A small young colored chap has been stealing from the store of W. F. Wenzel in Wilmington.

A Jewish temple that has cost \$50,000 is nearly completed in Milwaukee, Michigan.

European advices say that Marshal Bismarck is not expected to live through his trial.

Col. FREMENT delivered the address of Welcome to the visitors of the Cape Fear Fair.

KATE FISHER, in her character of Mazeppa, performed in Wilmington on Monday night.

Mr. MUSE, the efficient local of the Wilmington Star, is confined to his house by sickness.

The Wilmingtonians know how to do things. They had a special committee on reception, to secure accommodations for all visitors to the Cape Fear Fair who had not secured quarters.

The Wilmington Star says: Col. S. D. Pool, of Newberne, is a candidate for the Principal Clerkship of the House of Representatives. Col. Pool is a good man, and, if elected, would make an excellent clerk.

GEN. ROBERT RANSOM, of Granville, Col. A. A. McCoy, of Sampson, Doctor Thomas D. Hogg, of Raleigh, Captain James R. Thigpen, of Edgecombe, and Colonel R. T. Bennett, of Anson, are in Wilmington.

We were mistaken in saying that O'Conor received 17 votes in Cleveland county. The following is the official vote:

Grant,.....553
Greeley,.....451
O'Conor,.....47
Grant's majority over Greeley, 102
The vote in August stood Merimon,.....1,099
Caldwell,.....547
Majority,.....552

The Editor of the Greenville Spectator has recently paid a visit to Tarboro and speaks as follows of that growing town:

"We know of no town in the State which shows more evidence of progress than Tarboro, but however ambitious our neighbors may be, we would say that Tarboro can never be a city or a town until there is a good Market-House, and a Public Hall erected, for both of which there is urgent demand."

The local of the Wilmington Star was overcome at a recent affecting reconciliation between two damsels who had been at loggerheads. He adds: "In fact, after the trial had taken place at the Mayor's Court, the lion and the lamb seem underwent historical repetition—the afflicted one threw herself beside her recent assailant and repose her aching head in the lap of the now docile erring one. It was too much for our reporter's pheliks—he dropped his handkerchief and retired in bad order."

THE Wadesboro Argus says: It will be remembered that a negro man named Azariah Robinson, was drowned in the Pee Dee river, while assisting Deerfoot and Pierce's Indian Show in crossing at Wall's Ferry, last August. As we stated at that time, he was on a flat and bent down for the purpose of tying his shoe, when it gave a lurch, and he fell back into the river and his body was seen no more. Here lately, as we learn, while a party were out hunting, they came across the bones, high and dry upon the beach, bleached white by the sun, and identified only by the shoes, and clothing which he had worn, as the *corpse mortuum* of Azariah Robinson.

We are indebted to W. W. King, the active and efficient Chairman of the County Executive Committee for the official vote of Stokes, which is as follows:

Greeley.....839
Grant.....825
Majority for Greeley.....14.

In August Merrimon.....705
".....Caldwell.....830
Majority for Merrimon.....75.

Aggregate vote in August.....1735.
Aggregate vote in Nov. 1664.

THE Wilmington Journal of Tuesday says, concerning the Fair now being held in that city:

The grounds of the Cape Fear Agricultural Association presented a lively appearance yesterday. The ladies were busy decorating Floral Hall, and they have done their work only as ladies can do it; the clerks were busy receiving articles; the superintendents were arranging their departments, and the carpenters and laborers were employed preparing for the exhibition generally.

The entries yesterday in some departments were very good, while in others they were small. The pupils of the Misses Burr and James have entered a large and very fine display of paintings and drawings, and the pupils of the Academy of the Sisters of Mercy, also, have an imposing display in the fine arts.

Mrs. McGOWAN, of Raleigh, has entered some specimens of Wax Work, and other articles of *veru*, of the very highest order of merit.

Several bales of cotton from Sampson, Duplin and Edgecombe have also been entered.

Mr. Norwood, the enterprising Orange county farmer, is on hand, determined to divide the laurels with his Eastern brethren as he did last year. His articles are on the grounds, but have not yet been entered.

The celebrated cotton picker, which it is claimed will do the work of thirty to fifty hands, a peanut polisher, and other improved farm implements, have been entered.

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We trust that the weather will be propitious, that the exhibition will be good, and that the attendance will be large.

Elder W. B. Harrell has received and accepted the call of the Kinston Baptist Church. He will still reside at Clayton.

The Greenville "Spectator" complies Capt. Hatton and Howard, the Seaboard Vesta and Cotton Plant, that ply between Washington and Tarboro.

The Greenville Spectator is extremely sorry to hear that Mr. Jas. E. Clark, of the "Neck" plantation below Greenville, met with an accident a few days since, while running his pea machine, which may necessitate the amputation of his left arm.

The Wilmington Post contains a card from Solicitor Cantwell, denying the charge made in the Post that he (Cantwell) was seeking to induce a prominent citizen for illegal voting. He says the witnesses before the Grand Jury were summoned without his knowledge or authority.

THE Wadesboro Argus says: We were shown yesterday, by Mr. M. C. Long, from the vicinity of Lilesville, a mammoth corn cob, which contained 953 well developed grains, the shell corn weighing one and a quarter pounds. The cob weighed quarter of a pound, was 11 inches in length, and in circumference measured 5½ inches. The pith of the cob was large enough for a good sized mouse to have made a "home." Mr. Long says he has a good many more equally as large, which can be seen at his house. We have the cob alluded to in the above in this office, which any can see by giving us a call.

We are glad to hear of the prosperity of our sister city of Charlotte. The last Charlotte Democrat has she following in regard to the trade of that flourishing place: The cash sales of Willowsky A Bintreis for the first fifteen days in October amounted to \$39,579.40, and for the last fifteen days, \$39,895.58. Other dry goods establishments—Elias & Cohen; Brem, Brown & Co.; Barrington & Wolf; B. Keopman; J. H. Henderson; Mrs. Querry, and others—have sold more than in any month heretofore.

The grocery houses have done a larger business than the dry goods.

In fact the trade in Charlotte for September and October has been nearly twice as large as in any two months before this year.

UNDER the head of "A Model Female Farmer," the Wilmington Star gives the following account of the farming operations of Mrs. A. J. Mott, of Moore's Creek, New Hanover county: "With the aid of an ox, and two children ten and twelve years of age, respectively, she has raised one hundred and forty bushels of corn, one hundred bushels sweet potatoes, ten bushels corn peas, two thousand pounds of fodder, and has cultivated a good sized vegetable garden, yielding an abundance to support a family of fifteen in a month. All this has been done with no other aid than that named. Mrs. Mott is the mother of eleven children, ten of whom are living, seven small ones now with her. She also has three grand children."

I recommend that on Thursday, the 28th day of November next, the people meet at their respective places of worship, and there make their acknowledgements to God for his kindness and bounty.—President's Proclamation.

We beg leave, without any disrespect to the powers that be, to recommend every day as a thanksgiving day, and that the people meet in their respective places of worship on every day which the Lord has appointed.—Biblical Recorder.

Gen. Lee as a Christian.

After the war his spirit of forbearance towards the Government and people of the North seemed to have deepened and grown in strength along with that beautiful Christian character which shone out so brightly during the last years of his life. Soon after Underwood's Grand Jury found against him an indictment of "treason and rebellion" (in violation of the terms of his surrender, as Gen. Grant himself insisted), a distinguished clergyman of his Church called on him, and in the course of the conversation expressed some very vindictive sentiments towards the United States authorities and the people of the North. There were others present, and the General pleasantly turned the conversation; but when the clergyman took his leave, General Lee followed him out of the room, and warmly taking his hand said: "Doctor, there is a good old book which I read and you preach from, which says: 'Love your enemies, bless them that curse you, do good to them that hate you, and pray for them which despatchly use you and persecute you.'" "Do you think that your remarks this evening were quite in the spirit of that teaching?" To the explanations and apologies of the clergyman, General Lee replied with a good deal of feeling: "I fought against the people of the North because I believed that they were seeking to wrest from the South her dearest rights. But I can truly say that I have never cherished towards them vindictive feelings, and have never seen the day when I did not pray for them." The world's history affords few sublimer examples than this of the minister of the "Gospel of Peace" sitting at the feet of the stern warrior to learn lessons on the duty of love to enemies.—Courier Journal.

A strange story of the fulfillment of a dream comes from China. A Chinese schoolboy at Shanghai, told his teacher that he had dreamed that his step-mother had killed him and had bid his remains in a jar under the flooring of the house. Shortly after this the boy was missed from school for two or three days, and the school-master, remembering the dream, rushed to the house of the step-mother to inquire for the boy. Subsequent investigation brought about the discovery of the boy's remains, hidden precisely as he had dreamed, in a jar under the flooring. The woman was brought before the Chinese courts, and the facts authenticated, and she was executed.

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COMMERCIAL REPORT.

WHOLESALE PRICES.

The quotations contained in the report below are based upon actual sales, and are obtained by our reporter from the most reliable merchants in the city.

The quotations represent wholesale prices only.

DAILY NEWS OFFICE, November 14, 1872.

COTTON.

Receipts yesterday 102 bales. Sold at 17½

General Market.

SALT—Scarce and high \$3 00@3 15.

BUTTER—Good to choice mountain

EGGS—25.

SUGAR—We quote A 13½; B, 13½; Extra

C, 13½; Crushed and powdered granulated,

Deutsche, 11½.

BAKING POWDER, 12½.

NAILED—6 37½.

BAKING—Hog-head—shoulders 9½; boned

ers, 9½; clear ribs, 12½; bulk shoulder,

9½; back sides 10½; Virginia—none

in market.

FLOUR—Patapsco \$14; Hop Mills Family

11½; do. Extra \$12; North Carolina Extra

COTTON TIRES—8½¢.

BAGGING—Dundee 1½ lb, 14¢; do, 15¢; lb,

double anchor A, 17½; do, plain, 16½¢.

COFFEE—Kio, prime, 23; Laguna, 20; Java,

26½¢.

CORN—4½.

ISLAND—Coconut—New Family, \$10; Mal-

ay—Northern, none in market; North

Carolina, 10.

POTATOES—Irish, 75; sweet, 65.

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22-11-14.

FAMILY FLOUR

PARAGON XXX.

The Raleigh Daily News.

THURSDAY NOVEMBER 14, 1872.

LOST LOVE.

That's a true in the test that tried us,
Beech tree in a field of brown;
The clouds lay up and the birds flew over,
And looked upward, but who looked
down?

Who was true in the test that tried us?
What it mocked? Who now may
more true?
The loss of a love that a cross denied us,
With folded hands and a heart torn to pieces.

God forgive when the fair forget us
That's a true in the test of a smile, the weight of a
tear.
Why, who can measure? The fates beget us—
We laugh a moment, we mourn a year.

TOGETHER.

Rest we dearest, 'tis home,
Roam we o'er the heather;
We shall rest and we shall roam—
Shall we not—together?

From this hour the summer rose
Sweetest breathes to charm us;
From this hour the winter shows
Lighter fall to harm us.

Fair or foul—on land or sea—
Celtic or Gothic, we're
Best and worst, what'er they be,
We will share together.

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JUST RECEIVED AT

MARBLE HALL AND TEMPLE OF FANCY!
Fayetteville Street.

Important to Consumers of Dry Goods!

My House is now filled to its utmost Capacity with New Fall and Winter Goods.

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embraces almost everything that is new and desirable, and has been bought within the last few days from the leading manufacturers and ladies in want of Dress Goods will find it to their advantage to call and examine before buying elsewhere.

Piece Goods for Men and Boys' Wear.

consisting of Cloths, Cassimeres, Tweeds, Flannels, Linsey, Bimots, Cords, &c. &c. Price, so reduced, that New Fall and Winter Goods.

NOTIONS! NOTIONS!

A fine stock in this line—White Goods, Hosiery, Gloves, Handkerchiefs, Lace, Ribbons, Laces, Buttons, Cards, &c. &c. This being quite an important department for the Ladies, I would be pleased to have them call and examine.

SHAWLS! CLOAKS!

Are very pretty this season, and are selling rapidly. I have a splendid assortment. Don't forget that CREECH's is the best place in the city to buy them at.

HATS! HATS!

For Ladies, Misses, Gents and Boys, just received, and this department is worthy of your attention, as you will o' doubt find in it one of the best assortments in the city, and at prices with which will give you better sales. Step in at MARBLE HALL to buy your Hats.

BOOTS AND SHOES!

This is an important department, and there is no doubt that I have the largest and most complete assemblage in the city. No one can buy better shoes than CREECH's. This being quite an important department for the Ladies, I would be pleased to have them call and examine.

And here allow me to return my sincere thanks to all my liberal patrons, for the many and varied presents I have received at your hands for the past year, and I am happy to say that if my business still increases in proportion, my house will soon be the best.

Champion Dry Goods House

In the State, and if doing a straight-forward and honest business, we will accomplish it. Goods as they are will accomplish it, if I am just the man to wish to do; so come and see me. A. CREECH.

oct-12w&Ww.

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I offer for sale my plantation in Greene County, N.C. known by name

STREETER PLACE,

containing two thousand acres, about thirteen hundred cleared. It is well adapted to corn and grain, but particularly to cotton.

The soil is of a nature to stand wet or dry, and the weather is very agreeable.

This place is three miles from Marlboro, four from Newtown, eight from Snow Hill, twelve from Pittsboro, with large and comfortable dwellings newly fitted up, all necessary outbuildings, in new and good order, conveniently arranged.

A few miles from town, a fine house, a saw, track, &c. Two grist mills, shingle machine. One of the best wells of water in all the land. Excellent neighborhood, and a very convenient, a young orchard of every variety of choice fruit, and a small vineyard.

Lands not in cultivation are well timbered, and very good, convenient for fencing. No heavy ditching, while the very best shell marl, with other facilities for manuring is convenient in and on all parts of the plantation.

All my Mules, Corn, Fodder, Farming Implements can be bought.

Should more than one person wish to buy the land it can be divided to suit purchasers.

Gentlemen desirous of such property can not find a better cotton farm in this State, and will find the best prices to sell solely because she wants to give up business and live a more quiet life.

Those wishing to buy can come and examine the plantation for themselves or address me.

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SCOTLAND NECK, N. C.

Will practice in the Courts of Halifax and adjoining counties; also in parts of the State, may 11-12.

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42* Collections made in all parts of North Carolina.

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